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## FLOOD REACHES HIGHEST POINT.

**At Memphis the Water is Almost Three Feet Higher Than Ever.**

**Great Efforts are Being Made to Rescue Over Two Hundred Souls in the Town of Marion, Ark., and One Hundred Passengers Who are Tied Up on the Cotton Belt Line.**

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 19.—The crest of the flood is passing Memphis. The gauge this morning showed 40 feet, against 39.8 at 7 o'clock last night giving a rise of two tenths during the past 12 hours and four tenths since yesterday morning. This is seven feet over the danger line and 2.7 over the highest on record. Weather observer Emery is of the opinion that a little more rise is coming but he believes the river will remain stationary for several days. There are 225 persons in Marion, Ark., in the path of the flood and steps will be taken today to relieve them. The idea is to pass through the crevasse at Mound City, Ark. Four boats are engaged in the work of rescue and hundreds of people are being brought into Memphis daily.

### TRAFFIC STOPPED

All Efforts to Improve Washed Out Tracks Prove Useless.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 19.—No trains are moving in or out from the west and all efforts to repair the tracks are unavailing. Steps will be taken today to rescue 150 or more passengers who are tied up between the two breaks on the Frisco and Cotton Belt trains.

### NEW AND SERIOUS

Developments Loom Up in the Flood Situation.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 19.—The flood situation shows a number of new and serious developments, and there is scarcely a ray of hope for improved condition except the fact that tributaries of the Mississippi north of Memphis are reported to be falling. One of the most serious developments of the last 24 hours is the washing out of all lines of railroad entering the city from the west, and the complete blocking up of railroad traffic through the Memphis gateway to that section. There have been no trains either in or out of the city over the Memphis bridge, and the prospect is that traffic cannot be resumed until the flood has subsided to a considerable degree.

So suddenly did the rise come in the section of Arkansas across the river from Memphis, after the St. Francis levee broke at Trice's landing, that two passenger trains were caught between washed out points and are now surrounded by water in the overflow territory, about three miles west of the bridge junction, Ark. Aboard each of these trains were 75 passengers beside the train crews. However, they are not considered to be in any danger and those who have returned from the surrounded trains report that the passengers are being

well cared for by the railroad company.

The breaks occurred shortly after 9 o'clock at night, just after the west-bound trains on the Cotton Belt & Frisco had left Memphis. The Cotton Belt train left at 9 o'clock and had proceeded but a few miles when it encountered a section of flooded track. In attempting to cross the rails spread and the engine was partially derailed, preventing the train from moving in either direction. While in this condition the Frisco & Kansas City train approached from Memphis and with its assistance the Cotton Belt engine was pulled back on the track. In the meantime, a serious washout had occurred between the trains and Memphis and retreat to this city was completely cut off. All night the passengers were compelled to remain in the coaches while the water rose on every side and by this morning no land was in sight within a mile of their position.

The trains are on the track of the Iron Mountain near Altmar, Ark. Before them are washed-out tracks and behind them the foundation has been carried away until passage is extremely unsafe. Several handcars succeeded in reaching the water-bound trains and about fifty passengers were brought to this city over the submerged track. Attached to the Frisco train is a dining car and adequate supplies were sent today on the handcar.

The river now shows 40 feet on the gauge, the highest stage ever recorded. The river is about stationary and it is possible that a fall may set in at any moment. But this prediction would be extremely uncertain, as, in spite of the fact that the river is being drained by the break at Trice's landing, the rise at Memphis was almost at the rate of an inch an hour.

The situation in this area is growing worse every hour and it is evident that a general rise of a foot more must occur over the entire submerged area unless a very material fall shall take place, before the gap at Trice's can be filled through this volume of water alone or with the assistance of other crevasses which may occur.

Several persons were rescued from Marion, Ark., by skiffs, and the situation there is somewhat relieved. Eight white families and 217 negroes remain there in the second stories of buildings. More than a thousand head of live stock has been gathered at the village.

The city all day has been filled with travelers, who have been delayed on account of the washouts west of the river, but the railroads have made plans to relieve this congestion. Refugees continue to arrive in large numbers.

### HIGHEST STAGE

In the History of New Orleans Has Been Reached.

New Orleans, La., March 19.—The river gauge here shows 19.5 feet, the highest in the city's history. The levees are holding well.

## SON WINS THE FIGHT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 19.—Col. Russel B. Harrison, son of ex-President Harrison, has won the suit against the trustees of his father's estate. The will required that the children of Benj. Harrison's wife, including Russel, could get no money from the property till the real estate was sold, while Mrs. Harrison the second and her daughter got a regular income. After the sale of the real estate all the heirs will share in the income. The case was bitterly fought.

### CLAMLIKE

Position Taken by the Coal Strike Commissioners.

Washington, D. C., March 19.—The coal strike commission refuse to give out a single inkling of their decision until Saturday morning. Discussions of the various forecasts, they say is pure guess work.

## SALOONS INCREASE.

Columbus, March 19.—A tabulation of the Dux tax collections for the current six months, was completed by the auditor of state today. The footings show 19,732 saloons in the state as compared with 19,472 last year. These paid \$2,026,883 for licenses as compared with \$1,906,624 last year. Cuyahoga leads the list with 1847 saloons, but this is 45 less than last year. Hamilton county increased from 1742 to 1772 saloons.

### BAR OF GOLD

Valued at \$20,000, Stolen in Detroit Last Night.

Detroit, March 19.—A Pacific express car in the Wabash yards here was entered last night and a bar of gold in transit from the west to the Philadelphia mint was stolen. The bar is said to be worth twenty thousand dollars. Officers are at work on the case.

## STRIKE REPORT.

Washington, March 19.—Judge Gray, chairman, and Carroll D. Wright, recorder of the anthracite strike commission, called on the president late yesterday and presented to him the report of the commission. It is a voluminous document, covering fully all phases of the controversy between the operators and the miners. Both sides have promised to abide by the decision of the tribunal created by President Roosevelt. Details of the report will be awaited with great interest not only by the operators and miners, but also by the people of the country generally. At the conclusion of the interview with the president, Colonel Wright announced that the report would be made public at his office on Saturday morning. About the same time, it will be placed in the hands of the representatives of the operators and miners, the parties directly in interest.

### BIBLES

Tonight at Wayne Street Church of Christ.

Mr. Brundige will present one of his sermons tonight from a large chart on the great subject: "The New Birth," and he requests every one to bring a bible. If you are in doubt on the subject of the "New Birth" come. If you wish to hear good music, come. Meetings begin at 7:30.

## MARCUS HAS GOUT.

New York, N. Y., March 19.—Senator Hanna, as soon as the special session of the senate adjourns, will come to New York to take two or three weeks treatment for rheumatic gout. He will remain in seclusion and will brook no questions as to candidates for president in 1904.

### DEMOCRATS

Of Urbana Hold Their City Convention Tonight.

Urbana, O., March 19.—The Democrats hold their city convention this evening. Mayor S. L. P. Stone, the first Democratic mayor of Urbana for years, will be renominated without opposition.

## BRYAN'S BIRTHDAY.

Lincoln, Neb., March 19.—The receipt of numerous letters and telegrams of congratulation came today to remind the household of William J. Bryan that this is the birthday of the late Democratic presidential candidate Mr. Bryan having been born March 19, 1860. Mr. Bryan is at present enjoying excellent health notwithstanding the fact that he has been "on the go" the greater part of the winter delivering addresses and lectures in various parts of the country. He intends to put in the time this spring looking after his farming interests and later in the summer will again take to the platform to fulfill his long list of engagements with Chautauqua societies and other summer assemblies.

### NOTABLES

To Attend Dinner in Honor of Ex-Governor Francis.

New York, March 19.—Members of the Missouri society have completed arrangements for a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria tonight in honor of ex-Governor D. R. Francis, who has just returned from Europe where he has been interesting the various governments in the St. Louis Exposition, of which he is president. Invitations have been sent to a number of men of note to attend the dinner, among them ex-President Cleveland, John C. Hart, Hoke Smith and Mayor Low.

### BENCH SHOW

Opens in New Orleans Under Favorable Conditions.

New Orleans, La., March 19.—The bench show which opened today under the auspices of the Southwestern Kennel club is the largest and most important exhibition of its kind ever held here. More than a score of states are represented among the exhibits, which include high-bred canines of nearly every variety. The collies, St. Bernards and fox terriers are particularly well represented. The award of prizes was begun soon after the show opened today, the distribution being made under the direction of M. A. Hardin, of Atlanta, and James Watson, of Hackensack, N. J., two of the foremost judges in the country.

### FEAR OF FIRE

Threw 150 People Into a Panic in New York.

New York, March 19.—By a fire in a five story tenement house at 240 east 19th street this morning, one hundred and fifty people were thrown into a panic. Fifty persons in the upper stories of the house were rescued by firemen. Three firemen, Crosby, Brodie and Deane, were severely injured. The loss is small.

### The Weather.

Washington, March 19.—Ohio, rain and colder tonight and Friday.

### Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Mar. 19.—Cattle light, steady and unchanged; sheep light, steady, unchanged; hogs light, 8 double decks on sale, active.

## SEARCH MADE FOR A LETTER

## NEARING A CLOSE.

Washington, Mar. 19.—When the senate met at 11 o'clock this morning, it agreed to a resolution authorizing the committee on territories or a subcommittee, to sit during the recess at such places as it may desire to consider the bills relative to the district of Alaska. At 11:07 the executive session began and the Cuban reciprocity arguments were resumed.

### FINAL VOTE.

On Ratification of Cuban Treaty Is Not Far Off.

Washington, Mar. 19.—Voting on the amendments to the Cuban treaty began at 3 o'clock this afternoon. There are six or seven of these pending and a final vote on the ratification will probably be taken before tomorrow. The first amendments to be acted upon will be three offered by the committee on foreign relations.

### MATRIMONIAL

Agency Which Deals in Pauperized Nobles.

An Occupant of a London Workhouse Betrothed to a Prominent American Woman.

London, Mar. 19.—The approaching marriage of Sir Gordon Macgregor, late of the West Hall Workhouse, to a wealthy lady, has brought to light an extraordinary matrimonial agency.

No sooner had the fact transpired that a real, live Baronet was living within the walls of the London Workhouse than the promoters of this agency placed themselves in communication with him. After preliminary correspondence an interview was arranged. The energetic woman at the head of the firm paid a visit to Sir Gordon with the view of arranging a deal satisfactory to both parties. She informed the baronet that a friend of hers had a wealthy American client on her books who would pay \$125,000 for the privilege of marrying a titled Englishman.

After further correspondence an agreement was prepared by a well-known firm of solicitors in Staple Inn. This agreement was duly signed and stamped. It contained an undertaking on the part of the agent to provide the Baronet with a good looking, mild tempered bride of lovable disposition, age 35. The Baronet's dowry would be \$25,000 cash down on the wedding day.

On his part Sir Gordon Macgregor agreed to pay the lady agent \$15,000 as a commission. Out of this the agent's lady friend, who also bears a title, was to receive the sum of \$10,000 for finding the Baronet a wife.

Unhappily for the success of the scheme the American lady resolutely refused to accept anything less than a Duke for her money. Both lady agents are well known in society.

The agreement between this clever couple, who always work together, is that one shall find eligible men while the other looks out for gullible women with more money than brains.

In an interview with a Daily Express representative at a house near Regent's Park where he is now residing Sir Gordon said:

"It is true I am going to be married but not through the agency owing to their friend wanting a Duke. The lady who, I hope will shortly become Lady Macgregor, is a daughter of a naval Captain, who took pity on my misfortunes and wrote to me on the subject of marriage before I met the agents. She is not wealthy, but has enough money for us to live quietly and happily in the country for the rest of our lives."

### Grain and Pork.

Chicago, March 19.—Closing May wheat 74 1/2; corn 44 1/2; oats 34 1/2; pork 18.00.

### Chicago Stock Market.

Chicago, March 19.—Cattle 7,500, generally steady; hogs 20,000, 5c and 10c higher; sheep 8,000, 10c and 15c higher.

**In Which Mrs. Pennell Asked Bardick to Go Back to His Wife.**

**Later Inquiry Brings to Light the Fact That the Pennells Had Consumed an Enormous Amount of Whiskey Just Prior to Taking the Fatal Automobile Ride.**

Buffalo, N. Y., Mar. 19.—In the Bardick case, the police are now looking for another letter said to have been written by Mrs. Pennell to Bardick, asking him to "take Allie back for the sake of the children" and to stop divorce proceedings, "else it will be the death of us all." The letter is said to have been in Mr. Bardick's effects, but nothing like it has been found, although superintendent Bull says the desk and papers were thoroughly searched.

### MUCH WHISKEY

Had Been Consumed By the Pennells Prior to the Fatal Plunge.

Buffalo, N. Y., Mar. 19.—The dis-

trict attorney's office is now said to be in possession of undisputed proof that the Pennells, on the day of their fatal automobile trip, had consumed a large quantity of whiskey. It is now known by the district attorney that after Mrs. Pennell had been brought to the Sisters Hospital, where she was cared for until she died, her condition revealed the fact to the hospital attendants that the woman's stomach had contained considerable whiskey. It is said that the amount of whiskey was not an ordinary amount, but, instead, it was a very large amount, which would go to prove that prior to the accident, both husband and wife drank freely of intoxicants.

## MUCH TROUBLE ANTICIPATED

**When the Marshal Attempts to Arrest the 185 Miners Indicted Today by the Federal Grand Jury.**

CHARLESTON, W. VA., MARCH 19.—ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE INDICTMENTS AGAINST MINERS WERE MADE BY THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY IN THE FINAL REPORT TODAY. MOST OF THESE ARE FOR RESISTING OF

FICERS AND OTHERS ARE FOR CONSPIRACY TO RESIST OFFICERS. VERY FEW INDICTED MEN ARE IN CUSTODY AND SERIOUS TROUBLE IS EXPECTED WHEN THE MARSHAL GOES TO ARREST THEM.

## FIRE LOSSES DURING 1902

**Aggregate Over Five and One-half Million Dollars, According to State Fire Marshal's Report.**

Columbus, O., Mar. 19.—State fire marshal S. D. Hollenback made his annual report to Governor Nash today. Fire losses in the state during the year were shown to have been \$5,558,399. These fires numbered 5,914. Seventy one lives were lost and sixty persons were injured. The fire marshal's office has been in existence less than three years and its efficiency is shown by the fact that fire losses for 1902 were more than five million dollars less than in 1901, the loss being cut square in two during the second year of the state fire marshal law.

## GROVER DENIES THAT POLITICS

**Has Any Bearing on His Proposed Visit to St. Louis and the West.**

Cincinnati, Mar. 19.—The Enquirer and the ceremonies, I know no more this morning contained the following relation to Grover Cleveland:

An Enquirer correspondent saw former President Cleveland at Westland, his beautiful home in Princeton, this morning, and asked him about the numerous stories that have been told as to the significance of his proposed visit to the West.

"There is only one purpose," said Mr. Cleveland, "and that is to deliver an address at St. Louis on the occasion of the celebration of the Louisiana Purchase. That is absolutely all there is to it. As to the details of the trip

and the ceremonies, I know no more than you do. Any suggestion that my visit possesses any other purpose or object is the greatest nonsense in the world. Just say that that is the whole story; absolutely all there is to it." Speaking of the Panama Canal bill Mr. Cleveland said: "It is gratifying that the bill has passed the senate, and I hope there will be no further delay in beginning the work, which I believe is going to make for commerce and the transportation of the age, and is a glorious contribution to the American nation and to the trade of the world."

## READJUSTMENT OF SALARIES

**Gives Lima Two Additional Clerks and Five Hundred Dollars in Advances of Salaries.**

Washington, March 19.—The adjustment of salaries of the post office clerks just completed, gives Akron, besides the promotions recently noted, one additional \$400 clerk, Canton one additional and \$800 in advance of salaries; Columbus six additional and \$3,300; Fremont \$400; Lima two additional and \$500; Lorain \$300; Martins Ferry one additional and \$600; Sandusky, 3 additional; Toledo 11 additional and \$4,100.



# WORKING BY SPURTS

But a Great Amount of Work is Being Done in the Oil Fields.

Several Wells Have Just Been Completed in the Richland Township District of the Allen County Field. Other Ohio and Indiana Oil News.

## OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil	\$1.65
Pennsylvania oil	1.50
Somerset oil	.95
Corning oil	1.30
New Castle oil	1.37
North Lima oil	1.11
South Lima oil	1.06
Indiana oil	1.06

It looks as if every operator who has had a well under way during the month of March is now making a hustle to get it completed before the end of the month, and at present the completions are more numerous than was thought probable from the prevailing conditions. The work is done by spurts, and producers take immediate advantage of every favorable change in the weather. The roads are yet in such shape that teaming is almost impossible, and the "old residents" say that they were never before in such deplorable condition. However, it takes more than mud to stop work when oil is over the dollar mark.

Several wells are reported in the Richland township district of Allen county. In the different pools between Beaver Dam and Bluffton. The Adams & Sarber company drilled a test well on the G. W. Goble farm, in section 28, Richland, but got only a small well, with an output of about 15 barrels the first 24 hours. The Anselize Oil Co.'s No. 5, on the E. E. Goble farm, in section 27, was a much better producer, crediting its owners with 50 barrels the first day.

The Planet Oil Co. completed No. 1, on the P. Oberly farm, section 22, Richland, and it was good for 50 barrels at the start. The Planet has struck a fine pool on its holdings in that vicinity, and is getting some of the best wells in the county—what is more, they are well managed, and are made to produce all the oil possible.

The Union Oil Co.'s No. 2, on the J. Fott farm, in section 33, Richland, which was completed a few days ago, is good for about 50 barrels. The New York & Lima Oil Co. has a 25 barrel in its No. 4, on the S. C. Hansen farm, in section 20.

Over in Amanda township, section 9, W. W. Stoup drilled in his No. 1, on the L. H. Post farm, but as yet the product is only salt water.

In the Bluffton field, the Buckeye & Wolverine Oil Co. has another good well on the Florence Caris farm, which started just like some of its predecessors.

**Easy to Take**  
**Easy to Operate**  
Because purely vegetable—yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory—  
**Hood's Pills**

sors on the same block of leases, but is not likely to be much of a producer when a week old. The No. 1, on the Florence Caris farm was credited with a production of 125 barrels natural the first 24 hours, and if properly handled would no doubt make a good well. Southward, in section 23, the Ohio Oil Co. has completed a test well on the M. Allerding farm, which also started flowing, and is credited with a production of 25 barrels natural the first day.

In Union township, Batties & Jones completed No. 7 on the Sarah Newcomer farm, section 26, and it is good for about 35 barrels at the start. New wells in Liberty township of some of them especially so. J. C. Curran completed Nos. 1 and 2, on the W. H. Goepple farm, in section 14, and the production was only 4 and 2 barrels respectively. H. N. Bowby's No. 1, on the George H. Mason lot, in the same section, also started at 5 barrels.

In section 11, Liberty, the Ohio Oil Co. has a 30 barrel at No. 9, J. Bonham, and the Genesee Oil Co. has one of the same calibre at No. 43, on the Inman tract, in section 10.

In the Ohio City pool, the Liberty Oil company completed its fifth well on the W. L. High farm, section 27, Liberty township, Van Wert county, and it will make a small producer, being credited with only 5 barrels at the start.

In Madison township of Sandusky county, Roselle & Smith have a 10 barrel well at their No. 2, on the J. N. Hutchinson farm, section 31, and in Woodville township, of the same county, the Paragon Oil Co.'s No. 10 on the J. H. Myer farm, section 1, was of the same size.

**Some Indiana Wells.**  
A number of fair producers have been finished up in the Hoosier field during the past few days, while others of lesser production are quiet frequent. In Wells county, Reed, Mays & Henratty have a good well at No. 4, W. H. Huffman, section 20 Liberty, the first day's gauge showing an output of 50 barrels. The Ohio Oil Co. has one of the same size in its No. 3, S. Jackson, section 6, Jackson township.

Results in Washington township, of Blackford county have not been so gratifying, the best of a half dozen new wells being a 45 barrel producer. It was the American Window Glass Co.'s No. 1, on the J. S. Fuller farm, in section 34. The same company has completed Nos. 1 and 2, on the J. M. Bonham farm, section 27, the production being 5 and 35 barrels, respectively, the first day. T. N. Barnsdall's No. 3, on the Isaac Seelig farm, section 26, is a 5 barrel, while No. 2, on the same farm is in the same list.

The W. V. Smith Co. completed No. 3 well on the A. F. Meeks farm, in

section 36, of Liberty township, Delaware county, in the Parker City field and it was a waste of money, as the well is reported dry.

In Monroe township of Randolph county, the Smith, Neely Oil Co.'s No. 3, on the John A. Jones farm, section 9, produced 5 barrels the first day.

Every family should have its household medicine chest, and the first bottle in it should be Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's remedy for coughs and colds.

## SPECIAL BARGAINS.

New 8 room modern house, on west Wayne street for \$2100.00. Easy payments, possession given April 1st. 29-41 KALB & THRIFT.

Room 3 and 4 Opera House Block.

## FARM AND TOWN LOTS FOR SALE.

One hundred and ninety-six (196) acres of good bottom and second bottom land north of and immediately adjoining the village of Elida, O., in good condition and well improved; may be purchased as a whole or in separate tracts; also town lots well located, in the village of Elida, Ohio. Can be bought on reasonable and good terms. Call on or address Jesse C. Johns, executor, Elida, O., or T. R. Hamilton, Attorney, Lima, Ohio. 32-5t-wky-1t

## SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP

Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, Editor of the Enterprise, Shortsville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy, and when the coughing spell would come on at night, I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it would or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner. May 1

## A RARE OPPORTUNITY.

Business chance. I want 10 good energetic men between the ages of 25 and 50 years to incorporate in a well established business. A capital from \$1,000 to \$5,000 can be invested. A safe investment and large profits. For further information address, The Chown Commercial Co., 29 Public Square, Lima, O. 32-6t

## A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

## SUNDAY RATES.

The Chicago and Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets at one fare rate on Sundays. Tickets good on Sunday only and for return on train 8 Monday morning. 97-111-Apr 1



Another club woman, Mrs. Hauke, of Edgerton, Wis., tells how she was cured of irregularities and uterine trouble, terrible pains and backache by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"A while ago my health began to fail because of female troubles. The doctor did not help me. I remembered that my mother had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound on many occasions for irregularities and uterine troubles, and I felt sure that it could not harm me at any rate to give it a trial.

"I was certainly glad to find that within a week I felt much better, the terrible pains in my back and side were beginning to cease, and at the time of menstruation I did not have nearly as serious a time as heretofore, so I continued its use for two months, and at the end of that time I was like a new woman. I really have never felt better in my life, have not had a sick headache since, and weigh 20 pounds more than I ever did, so I unhesitatingly recommend Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. MAY HAUKE, Edgerton, Wis., President Household Economics Club. —\$5000 worth of original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

Women should remember there is one tried and true remedy for all female ills, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Refuse to buy any other medicine, you need the best.

## WORKING FORCE

And Singers are Now Concentrated

At the Trinity M. E. Church on West Market Street.

There was an excellent meeting at the Calvary Reformed church, Wednesday morning. There were 15 ministers present and a good audience. Mrs. Cole and Miss Leila, the Major's wife and daughter, were able to be out and the Major and they sang a trio together which was very well received.

The executive committee held a meeting at the close of the morning services and at the suggestion of Major Cole decided to concentrate the efforts for the present on the north side at the Trinity M. E. church intending later on to concentrate all efforts under Major Cole on the south side. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, who were expecting to sing on the south side will sing on the north side. A strong force of the best singers will be a feature of the meeting at Trinity church.

Major Cole addressed more than 225 men at the Lima Machine Co. shops at noon yesterday. The Ladies' Quartette that sang at Erie shops Tuesday rendered some very fine selections which were highly appreciated by the men. These noon-day meetings are becoming very popular with the men in the shops.

The Grace church on the south side was well filled last night and Major Cole spent the first 45 minutes in the service there and then returned to Trinity church on the north side.

Prof. Lowe took charge of the chorus choir and brought out some fine choruses and congregational singing at Grace M. E. church and then Mr. and Mrs. Lowe sang with fine effect an duet, "Jesus Leads." A number rose for prayers and three gave their names as having decided to live the Christian life.

At Trinity church on the north side the ministers and Major Cole spoke to a large audience, largely along the line of a need of a great revival in Lima, and the encouraging prospects in that direction. Major Cole made an appeal to Christians to enter heartily into the work for that purpose, and one after another, a very large body of Christians arose and said "By the help of God, I will." At the close of the service, two accepted and confessed Christ.

## Carpet Size Rugs

are in growing demand and never in the history of the carpet trade has there been more beautiful patterns than are to be had this season. We placed our order last October, as soon as the mill lines were ready and in consequence have our full line ready for your inspection. We can't describe them, there's too many of them. Come in and see for yourself.

F. E. HARMAN, 213 and 215 north Main street.

# LADIES ONLY

Tomorrow we are going to give our first Tailor-made Suit and Silk Jacket opening. Mr. Klein, a representative of one of the largest suit and cloak houses will be here with hundreds of samples and with our regular stock it will be the largest display given in Lima this season. Every lady in Lima contemplating the purchase of a suit or jacket is

## CORDIALLY INVITED.

We will have a nice showing of Misses' Suits, Skirts and Jackets, and we urge the girls and their mothers to attend this opening. If you want novelties at reasonable prices, come to our opening. Just one day—FRIDAY. Special orders taken and fit guaranteed.

STORE OPEN FRIDAY EVENING.

# MRS. F. LIGHT,

134 NORTH MAIN STREET.

## TIES OF CEMENT.

Detroit, Mich., March 19.—Railroad officials are much interested in experiments that are being conducted on the Pere Marquette road and the Michigan Central in the use of railroad ties made of Portland cement.

The manufacturers claim for their invention that the cement tie is practically indestructible, and therefore an assurance of a great reduction in first cost as well as that of maintenance. Wood blocks of varying thicknesses are shimmied between the tie and the rail. These act as a cushion to receive and distribute the vibration and can be quickly replaced without removing or disturbing the tie. These blocks are chemically treated, so as to make them indestructible. They are held to the cement ties by spikes driven into holes in the cement filled with wooden plugs, these plugs being inserted before the cement has set and hardened.

From far away Finland comes the wall of the hungry and that cry for bread strikes the sympathetic chord in every human heart. The sweetest pleasure known is that which comes from aiding our suffering fellow-men. One of the world's greatest philanthropists says: "When I first engaged in the task of relieving suffering humanity, my heart was filled with hope, but that my life's dream should be fulfilled to the extent it has is beyond my greatest expectation. Of 8,759,960 persons who have taken Dr. Burkhardt's Vegetable Compound last year, 80 per cent were cured. The gratitude of the afflicted is poured in upon me from every civilized nation and clime. 25 cents. All druggists.

## FINLANDS FAMINE

Starvation Now Added to Oppression and Persecution.

The Road to Fame.  
"Which would you rather have," she asked, "fame or fortune?"  
"I'd rather," he replied, "have the fortune. Then I could get caught in a New York gambling resort and my fame would be secure."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Nerves Like a Flat-iron.  
A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

Stable Yard Gossip.  
The Cow—Have you heard of this new food they are making out of chopped cornstalks?  
The Horse—No; but they needn't try it on me. I won't touch it.  
The Cow—Oh, it isn't for us. It's for human beings.—Chicago Tribune.

Well Again.  
The many friends of John Blount will be pleased to learn that he has entirely recovered from his attack of rheumatism. Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured him after the best doctors in the town (Monon, Ind.) had failed to give relief. The prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

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**John M. Boose,**  
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New eight room modern house, on Baxter street.	\$2,000
Elegant 10 room house on Baxter street, all modern.	4,500
7 room house on Broadway.	1,500
7 room house on Bellefontaine avenue.	2,000
8 room modern house on Central avenue.	2,500
8 room house on south Collet street.	2,500
7 room house on Cole street.	1,500
8 room modern house on south Elizabeth street.	2,200
14 room house on south Elizabeth street.	2,500
7 room house on west Elm street.	1,500
7 room modern house on east Elm street.	2,200
4 room house on Forest avenue.	700
5 room house on south Metcalf street.	600
(Rents for \$7 per month)	
8 room house on Greenlawn avenue.	1,000
8 room modern house on west High street.	2,500
6 room modern house on west High street.	1,500
(Rents for \$12 per month)	
Elegant modern home on west High street, 10 rooms.	5,500
New 11 room house on Holmes avenue.	1,200
6 room house on Holly street.	1,500
6 room house on Harrison avenue.	1,600
6 room house on Hughes avenue.	1,600
6 room house and barn on Hinkle street.	1,500
7 room house on Haller street.	1,500
8 room modern house on Jackson avenue.	3,000
7 room house on north Jefferson street.	2,200
8 room house on north Jackson street.	1,700
6 room house on west Kibby street.	2,000
6 room modern house on east Kibby street.	1,500
New modern 9 room house on west Market street.	4,500
New 10 room modern house and barn on south Main street.	6,250
6 room house on north Main street.	1,500
2 business rooms on south Main street. Lot 40x200.	2,000
(Rents for \$50 per month)	
12 room house on south Main street. 60x200.	4,000
6 room modern house on south Metcalf street.	1,500
8 room house on south McDonald street near Market.	2,500
Elegant 12 room modern residence on west North street.	6,500
6 room modern house on west North street near Main.	4,500
6 room house on Oak street.	1,000
6 room house on south Pine street.	1,200
8 room modern house on Park avenue.	2,500
8 room modern house on north Pierce street.	2,250
7 room house on south Pierce street.	1,400
7 room house on Prospect avenue.	1,500
Elegant 8 room house on west Spring street.	4,500
7 room house on west spring, lot 100x208.	2,500
7 room modern house on west spring street.	3,850
New 6 room house on St. Johns avenue.	1,450
4 room house on St. Johns avenue.	1,200
7 room house on Second street.	1,400
8 room house with large barn on Tanner avenue.	1,200
6 room house on north Union street.	1,200
6 room house on east Vine street, lot 50x130.	2,500
8 room modern house on east Market street.	7,000
10 room modern house on east Market near Main street.	2,600
7 room modern house on west Wayne street.	4,000
7 room house on east Wayne street.	2,500
9 room modern house on west Wayne street.	3,500
8 room modern house on south West street and barn.	3,500
7 room modern house on south West street.	2,900
6 room house on west Wayne street.	1,600
6 room house on east Vine street, lot 66x113.	1,400

Several farms in Allen county and adjoining counties. Business blocks in different parts of the city that pay a handsome income on the investment.

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The Weather.

Washington, Mar. 18.—Ohio: fair except rain along the lakes; Thursday rain, followed by fair and colder.

## DEMOCRATIC CITY TICKET.

For Mayor  
JUDGE T. D. ROBB.

For City Solicitor  
R. C. EASTMAN.

For City Auditor  
HARRY LAMBERTON.

For City Treasurer  
JNO. M. BINGHAM.

For Members Board of Public Service  
JOHN THOMPSON.  
W. H. STEPHENS.  
F. M. HALLER.

For President of Council  
DR. D. H. SULLIVAN.

For Members of Council at Large  
J. M. McVEY.  
ED. MOSES.  
Wm. H. LAMBERT.

For Ward Councilmen  
First Ward—EDWARD L. SMITH.  
Second Ward—EDWARD VEASEY.  
Third Ward—H. A. DeLONG.  
Fourth Ward—STEPHEN C. REED.

For Assessors  
First Ward—Wm. HAWLEY.  
Second Ward—T. B. SINGLETON.  
Third Ward—A. C. WOOD.  
Fourth Ward—AARON ALBERT.

For Constable  
JOHN C. MOYER.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. M. Arnold, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic of Allen county, at the county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Miner C. Crossley, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for the office of county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Arnold B. King, of Delphos, as a candidate for nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Wilbur Fish, of Lima, as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. Barr as a candidate for nomination for second term for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

For Coroner.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. A. Bice as a candidate for nomination for second term for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

For Representative.

We are authorized to announce the name of John W. Mangas as a candidate for nomination for second term for Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

For County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. M. Owen, of Richland township precinct, as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Addison S. Hooker, of Spencerville as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. L. Conrad, of Bluffton, Richland township, as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. Cotner, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County

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Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County convention.

County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce the name of C. Z. Morey, of Spencer township as a candidate for Surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

I hereby announce my name as a candidate for nomination for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

C. C. CRAIG.

Infirmary Director.

We are authorized to announce the name of Gus Oen, of German township as a candidate for nomination for county infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

Robert Kiracofe, of German township is a candidate for the nomination of infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of C. H. Mosier of Marion township, as a candidate for the nomination of infirmary Director of Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.

Please announce that L. F. Landick is a candidate for Mayor of Lima, subject to the Republican Primary.

City Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce the name of Chas. A. Phillips of the First ward, as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican city primary.

For Constable.

Daniel B. Miller wishes to announce his candidacy for re-nomination by the Republicans of Lima for the position of Constable.

## DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the 32nd Senatorial District of Ohio will meet in convention at Wapakoneta, Auglaize county, Ohio, on Tuesday, April 25, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating two (2) candidates for state senator.

The senatorial committee has apportioned the representation of delegates at one delegate for every 100 votes and one delegate for every fraction of fifty votes or over, cast for Herbert B. Bigelow for Secretary of State in 1902.

Under this apportionment, the several counties of the district will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

County	Votes	Delegates
Allen	4851	49
Auglaize	3089	31
Defiance	2924	29
Mercer	2142	21
Paulding	2963	30
Van Wert	3424	34
Williams	2675	27

Total number of delegates 231.  
Necessary to a nomination, 116.  
J. C. RIDENOUR, Chairman.  
J. J. MOONEY, Secretary.

Landick was brought out by the anti-Hanna Republicans for nomination for mayor for the express purpose of making a yearling out of Rogers, because the latter endorsed Hall's candidacy for postmaster.

Do not take down the stoves or shed your flannels. The weather bureau promises colder weather tomorrow. The heat from the Republican row at the polls in the evening may counteract the cold to an extent, but cannot overcome it entirely.

The real issue in tomorrow's Republican primary is: Who shall be postmaster of Lima? If Landick and his slate wins, it means a long step for Arch Campbell toward that \$2,100 salary he is so anxious for. On the other hand, if Rogers and his ticket is successful, it is much to the advantage of George Hall, who is willing to continue to receive the salary that Archie wants.

Tomorrow occurs the Republican city primary election in this city. The Hanna and anti-Hanna elements have

both determined to win and each will contest every step the other makes. If Rogers wins in the primary and becomes the candidate for mayor, Hall will be the boss. If Landick wins the nomination, Arch Campbell will insist in being called the boss. And the line up of the party say that it is a toss-up which one of least desirable for the position.

The local Republican organ takes a shot at Postmaster Hall, and the other Hanna people over the fact that the government did not buy the ground south of the postoffice for the proposed extension of the building. The urban editor (also candidate for postmaster) this morning in commenting upon the situation, the news features of which were given to the public through the Times Democrat two weeks ago, says: "The local forces seem to have fallen down in consummating the extension of the post office building which room is badly needed." The harmony which exists between the two branches of the Republican party in Lima is quite lovely.

The owners of 35,000 tons of anthracite coal, tied up in the Erie basin in New York, tried to sell it at \$4.50 per ton on Saturday and were unable to do so. All this coal is said to have cost the buyers between \$9 and \$10 per ton, and a single firm is said to have lost \$100,000 in its attempt to fleece the public during the past winter. It is good news that some of these speculators in coal are getting their deserts.

Whittaker Wright, the Londoner, who is accused of having swindled certain colleagues out of \$110,000,000 is now confined in Ludlow street jail, and is suffering from insomnia and inability to eat. This is only a proper equalization of things. No doubt, his victims have had their period of insomnia by reason of Wright's ability to keep other people's money, and it is also fair to assume that quite a goodly number are yet suffering from inability to eat, owing to having been separated from their funds by the wily Whittaker.

The other day a friend said to James B. Keen: "Why do you work so hard? You have all the money you should want, and yet you keep on as hard as when you were collecting your first million." The veteran Wall street operator lighted a fresh cigar and replied: "Ever see a young dog chase a rabbit? He's just as eager after his second and third as he was after the first. As the dog grows old he draws all his experience to his aid, and though he may lack speed, he makes up in finesse. He displays as much desire to catch his hundredth rabbit as he did his first. Catching them only whets his appetite, but does not glut it. Say, I'd rather talk horse."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Fanny Hirsch, of Wapakoneta, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sol Wiesenthal.

Mrs. W. O. South, of Kenton, has returned to her home, after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. C. Plock, of Elizabeth street.

Mrs. Margaret Marty and daughter, Rose, Mrs. Jake Marty and little daughter Alma, of Kenton, were in the city on last Friday on a shopping tour. While here they stopped with Mrs. J. J. Ashton, of Charles street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Brennan, of north West street, a son.

There will be no boys junior guild tomorrow night.

Mrs. P. A. Kahle is quite ill with an attack of mumps.

P. A. Kahle has returned from Toledo, where he has been on business.

Dressed Chickens at Townsends.

## ILLNESS

## Of Mrs. Miller was of Short Duration.

Mrs. Emma Miller, widow of Henry Miller, died at her home, two miles southwest of Elida, yesterday, of asthma, after an illness of three days. Deceased was nearly 64 years of age. She was born in Green county, but had been a resident of Allen county many years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. John Holtzappel and Mrs. I. East, also a son, Issachar Miller.

Funeral services will be held at Elida Lutheran church, leaving the residence at 1 o'clock, sun time, Rev. Hutton officiating.

## PHOSPHORESCENT OCEAN.

Little Gelatinous Organisms Which Create the Appearance.

A milky opalescence, permeating the entire sea for immense distances bounded only by the horizon, is a somewhat rare phenomenon. It appears quite suddenly, lasts perhaps for several hours and passes away as rapidly as it came, and this without apparent cause. At midnight we had the singular whiteness enveloping the sea, while the more brilliant kinds of phosphorescence shone in the midst of flashing green, yellow or bluish lights, as the case might be—a gorgeous nocturnal display.

During these hours my surface trawl not drifted astern of the ship. The water was alive with countless myriads of little gelatinous sacs measuring one-sixth of an inch in length—delicate tubulate organisms which required the aid of a microscope to reveal their perfect structure. A few specimens placed in an empty meat tin in a darkened cabin could be seen indeed with the naked eyes careening madly around in the salt water, each one glowing with that peculiar opalescent light which saturated the entire sea for so many miles. It was a small species of salpa, nearly related to a much larger kind on the side of which the late Professor Moseley wrote his name with his finger, the signature being visible on the dead body throughout the night, glowing with the brightest phosphorescent light.—Cornhill Magazine.

Speaking English.

Almost any one who speaks English might be put down successively in half a dozen places where English is supposed to be the mother tongue and hear as many dialects spoken, not one of which he would understand until it was interpreted. An old Lancashire worthy and a London lady were one day occupants of a railway carriage. The train had been waiting long at a certain station, and there was no appearance of it starting when the worthy remarked:

"They're a gey, tanglesome lot here."

"I beg your pardon," said the lady.

"I'm sayin' they're a gey daidit' lot here."

"I really beg your pardon, sir."

"I'm observin' they are a vera dreich lot here the night."

"Really I must again beg your pardon. I don't comprehend you."

"I was just tryin' to say that the train was late."

"Indeed, sir, it is—very late," agreed the lady and then collapsed.—London Tit-Bits.

Sulphur.

Sulphur occurs very widely distributed in the mineral kingdom, partly free and partly combined with other elements. The free sulphur is either found pure in regularly formed crystals or intimately mixed with earthy matters. In its native state sulphur is largely found in Sicily and Italy and as a general rule in abundance in volcanic districts. The brittleness of sulphur renders the cleavage imperfect.

Sulphuric acid is an important combination and a very dangerous one in inexperienced hands. Sulphur combined with a number of elements, such as iron, copper, lead, etc., furnishes the sulphides. In the vegetable kingdom sulphur is a small constituent of the albuminous bodies and of certain volatile irritant oils. Moreover, the vegetable juices contain it in the form of certain sulphurates.

An East Indian Anecdote.

In India a variety of gems and stones are used as amulets. The most common is the salagrama, a stone about as large as a billiard ball and which is perforated with black. This is supposed to be found only in Gandaki, a river in Nepal. The person who possesses one of these stones is esteemed highly fortunate. He preserves it in a clean cloth, from whence it is sometimes taken to be bathed and perfumed. He believes that the water in which it is washed, if drunk, has the power to preserve from sin. Holding it in his hand, the dying Hindu expires in peace, trusting in a stone rather than in the living God.

A Taste of Brogue.

An Englishman met a man at a French table d'hôte, who addressed him in French. His accent betrayed him, and, rather rudely, the Briton said, "Ah, you are English."

"The devil a doubt of it, darlin'," replied the stranger.

"An Irishman, too, still better," went on the other.

"Well, thin, isn't it strange," said the man, "my French always shows me to be English and my English to be Irish?"

The Dewdrop Inn.

Said the intoxicated cowally:—"Nothin' to do but drink; nothin' to drink but dew."—Yale Record.

## INCREASE

## Of Wages Granted C. H. &amp; D. Trainmen

## And It is Now Up to the Operating Department.

Salaries Raised to Meet All Present Emergencies Ranging from a Small Percent to a Large Increase.

The committee representing the conductors, brakemen, baggage men and switchmen, who have been in conference with General Manager Waldo and the superintendents of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road regarding a new wage schedule, have left for their respective homes.

The conference, which has been on for about two weeks and a half, says the Enquirer, was concluded yesterday morning, an agreement having been reached that was satisfactory to both the men and the company.

All the runs were gone over at the conference, and under the agreement increases were granted ranging from 1 1/2 to 18 per cent. The conductors and brakemen on through freights were given an increase of 5 per cent. On some of the runs the men are to get no increase.

The demands of the engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen, baggage men and switchmen having been considered and adjusted, a committee representing the telegraphers will meet General Manager Waldo today to present their demands.

Display of new tailored hats at Miss Bland's, Friday and Saturday, in the Masonic building.

Dressed Chickens at Townsends.

## DAMAGE

## Done by Fire and Water at A. N. Ridenour's Home.

Central and South Side Departments Called Out by an Alarm from Box 41 Last Night.

About 11:30 o'clock last night some one at the R. A. club on east Elm street discovered flames issuing from the roof of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Ridenour, between Main and Union streets, on east Elm, and sent in an alarm. Box 41 sounded and the central and south side department responded. The fire was confined to the upper portion of the house, but had gained considerable headway and it was necessary for the department to use a stream of water for several minutes. The damage to the house and its contents will be quite heavy. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue.

Fresh eggs at Smith's for 10cts. 4-3t

Thos Lowry, the millionaire street car magnate of Minneapolis and St. Paul, announced that he is a candidate for the seat in the United States senate now occupied by Moses C. Clapp.

## FUNERAL

## Of Mrs. Emma Miller Will be Held Tomorrow.

The Obsequies Will be Held at the Lutheran Church in Elida at Two O'clock.

Mrs. Emma Miller, widow of Henry Miller, who preceded her to the grave about thirty-five years ago, died yesterday at her home in Marion township, after an illness of three days, death being due to asthma.

Deceased was aged sixty-three years eleven months and nineteen days. She was born in Green county, but has resided in this county for a great many years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John Holtzappel, and Mrs. Isaac East, and a son, J. C. Miller.

The funeral party will leave deceased's late home two miles southwest of Elida tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock sun time, and proceed to the Elida Lutheran church, where the obsequies will be conducted by Rev. Hutton. Interment will be made in the cemetery at Elida.

Why the Preacher Failed.

"So the Rev. Mr. Goodley was a failure at that church, eh?"

"Yes, he tried to bring the congregation into harmony with his ideas instead of bringing his ideas into harmony with the congregation."—Philadelphia Press.

You often hear it said a woman has intuition; as a matter of fact, it is suspicion!

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The prettiest Dress Skirt we have shown at the opening of any season are now on display. One particular style, a pleated Etamine, nicely trimmed, fully worth \$10. To early buyers at special price \$7.50.

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Ever shown in this city in one collection are gathered for our spring assortment. Tailor-made suits in granite, etamine, voile, nunsveiling, Scotch mixtures, chevots and light weight sibiline, \$15, \$22.50, \$32.50 and \$40. Special orders taken for large or small size.

## Silk Coats for Spring.

Fitted pleated, and Monte Carlo styles. Our collection is of the choicest, and any particular fancy can be satisfied in our varied assortment. Coats from \$13.50 to \$35.

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### The GUYER HAT



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Special meeting of Division No. 1, A. O. H. this evening at 7:30 in the Duffield block. Business of importance. All are urged to attend.

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White and yellow onion sets, 5c a quart at Smith's. 4-3t



## TWO

### Games of the Fav- orite Sport

### Were Played

at the Y. M. C. A. Gym-  
nasium Last Night.

Timber for Future Rep-  
resentative Teams was  
Plainly Shown

Quick Work and Clean Con-  
duct—Both Games were Close  
Enough to Entertain a Large  
Audience.

interesting basketball games  
played in the Y. M. C. A. gymna-  
sium last night between the younger  
teams of the association. The first  
brought together the Internation-  
al and the ex-Junior and the  
large audience had many oppor-  
tunities to applaud the little fellows  
excellent plays. They have the  
own to a fine point and there is  
respectively timber for Lima's  
representative team. The in-  
tensity was smaller and much  
in weight than their rivals but  
put the score down and were  
beaten by four points, the score  
being 12 to 8. The line-up was as

mediates—DeVoe and Rohn,  
center; Cook, center; Woodworth  
guard.

hasn't been a faster or clean-  
er played on the gym floor than  
between the Y. M. C. A. Sen-  
ior and the High School Seniors. It  
was a close game until the last  
minute when the seniors took a  
ward the close and won out  
of 24 to 20. Considering  
the difference of points it stands as a  
remarkable fact that but four  
minutes called during the entire  
game shows plainly that it is not  
a very perfect foot ball tactics  
less hazardous game of basketball  
and it would have helped some-  
times to see how the  
made interesting without  
sign of roughness.

C. A. Seniors—Stewart and  
forwards; Pangle, center;  
and Webber, guards.

school Seniors—Reely and  
forwards; Jones, center; Hill  
guards.

## Carts

Our new spring line is ready  
are showing the newest line in  
prices are from \$15 up, com-  
th parcel. Don't miss see  
NEW ADJUSTABLE CAB  
ART COMBINED. A perfect  
go-cart in one, changed from  
be other in the twinkling of an

F. E. HARMAN,  
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actman's tool bag isn't com-  
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LINES ARE COMPLETE.  
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be in Lima at Colvin's barn,  
rket street, Saturday, March  
Monday, March 23, and Thurs-  
day 26 to buy 46 horses and  
or eastern market, weight  
50 to 1800; must be fat and  
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on those dates. Must be

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er's cafe at 123 west High  
ill give his opening Saturday  
March 21. Music and a fine  
ill be the features of the even-  
are invited. 4-2t

ement is on foot in St. Louis  
handsome monument in Oak  
meters to the memory of B.  
rown, a former governor of  
and a candidate for vice  
on the Greeley ticket in

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Saves a Gentleman from the Dan-  
gers and Perils of Insomnia and  
Nerve Troubles After Failures  
of Able Physicians.

It is now generally admitted that in-  
somnia or sleeplessness is caused by ex-  
haustion of nerve force and a sluggish  
condition of the digestive organs.  
Overwork, worry and care have their  
effect upon the nerves sleeplessness  
in spring time is one of the common-  
est troubles afflicting men and wo-  
men, and in too many cases fatal re-



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sults follow. In thousands of cases the  
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Paine's Celery Compound. The first  
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hours in succession. I continued the  
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Y.:

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the static affliction of my right hip  
which so severely afflicted me that it  
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There will be a cheap excursion to  
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## RUN DOWN

And Fatally Injured by  
a Train.

C. S. Blaine, of Bath Town-  
ship, the Victim.

Was Working as a Bridge Carpenter  
on the B. & O. Railroad and  
Had Both Legs Crushed  
by a Train.

Jesse R. Blaine, a well known resi-  
dent of Bath township, returned here  
from St. Louis, Mo., this morning, ac-  
companying the remains of his brother  
Charles S. Blaine, who lost his life as  
the result of a railroad accident that  
occurred in the Baltimore & Ohio rail-  
road yards in St. Louis, on March 2nd.

The deceased was employed on the  
B. & O. as a bridge carpenter and on  
the date mentioned above, he was run  
down by a passenger train and had  
both of his legs horribly crushed above  
the knees. He was taken to the St.  
Mary's Infirmary in St. Louis, and the  
mangled limbs were amputated but  
all efforts to save his life were in  
vain. His brother reached his bedside  
last Sunday and death occurred on  
Tuesday.

The remains were taken to the  
home of J. R. Blaine this afternoon and  
funeral services will be held there to-  
morrow at 2:30 o'clock.

The deceased left here a year and a  
half ago. He is survived by a wife,  
from whom he was divorced, and two  
children, residing at West Cairo.

## BILLITER

Expects to Break Ackerman's  
Record.

The Match Tomorrow Evening Offers  
a Square Deal and Should  
Prove Interesting.

The wrestling bout of Friday even-  
ing, in which Ackerman, the undeat-  
ed wrestler of Kenton, and Billiter,  
the Toledo light weight are the oppo-  
nents, will offer the Lima enthusiasts  
an opportunity to judge between two  
of the Ohio exponents for champion-  
ship honors. Neither of the men have  
ever seen each other before, and both  
are anxious to show what they believe  
to be superior ability.

Ackerman has met some of the best  
of men in his class, and is as con-  
fident of defeating Billiter as he has  
been in all of his preceding engage-  
ments. It is a square deal for the  
public, and coming as it does after the  
unsatisfactory match of recent date,  
when Referee Dick Stone was com-  
pelled to award the match to the  
Dutchman, it will be a relief from any  
anxiety on that score. Ackerman has  
written that he would arrive in Lima  
today and Billiter and his manager  
will be here tomorrow.

To the patrons and consumers of the  
City Transfer Co.:

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drayage, freight transfer, and the  
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With our increased facilities, and  
equipment, we will be in position to  
give the very best possible service.

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friends, for their kind patronage, and  
would be very pleased to figure with  
any new parties, relative to handling  
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Yours truly,  
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Superintendent Carpenter and T. J.  
Maple, of Lima, representatives of the  
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town in the interest of the electric  
railway passing through main street.  
Mr. Carpenter, who appeared before  
the council Monday evening, asking  
that their franchise, which expires  
April 1st, be extended another year,  
states that the line will be built this  
summer. He also states that the line  
will be completed beyond Lima, in a  
few weeks, and that the force of labor-  
ers will then be put on the construc-  
tion work on this side of that city. The  
quarry purchased by the company, at  
the lower end of town, will be opened  
and operated the coming season, em-  
ploying from fifty to seventy-five men.  
—Bluffton News.

#### HAVE HAD THEIR DAY.

Old Fashioned Medicines For Catarrh  
No Longer in Vogue.

For many years past the usual treat-  
ment for catarrh diseases was with  
local douches, sprays, inhalers and  
liquid medicines composed principally  
of alcohol, all of which never cured  
but simply gave the temporary relief  
and stimulation.

A thorough cure can be made only  
by the treatment which removes the  
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A new remedy which meets the re-  
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These tablets act upon the blood  
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They can hardly be classed as a  
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Eucalyptus tree and similar antiseptics  
combined in tablet form, which  
cure by eliminating from the blood  
and mucous membrane the poisons of  
catarrh.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large,  
pleasant tasting lozenges to be taken  
internally, allowing them to dissolve  
in the mouth, thus reaching the  
throat, trachea and finally the stom-  
ach.

If desired they may also be dissolv-  
ed in water and used as a douche, in  
addition to the internal use, but it is  
not at all necessary to use a douche;  
a few of them dissolved in the mouth  
daily will be sufficient. However,  
when there is much stoppage of the  
nose a douche made from these table-  
ts will give immediate relief, but the  
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the whole catarrhal trouble without  
resorting to the inconvenience of a  
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# WOMEN WHO WANT EQUAL RIGHTS

Opened Their Thirty-fifth Annual Convention at the Athenaeum, in New Orleans Today.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, President of the Organization, Delivered a Stirring Address in Which She Claimed a Victory for the Woman Suffrage Movement During the Past Year.  
Susan B. Anthony Also Spoke.

New Orleans, La., March 19.—The thirty-fifth annual convention of the National Woman's Suffrage association was opened today in the Athenaeum, with a large attendance of delegates and all the national officers. The banners showing the various state delegations gave evidence of the fact that the suffrage movement is active in all sections of the country. A conspicuous feature of the decorations was the four-starred flag emblematic of the four states that have granted complete suffrage to women—Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho.

The convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York. A prayer was offered by the Rev. Anna Shaw. After addresses of cordial greeting had been delivered on behalf of the state of Louisiana, the city of New Orleans and the club women of the city, the official call for the gathering was read by Kate M. Gordon, the corresponding secretary. This was in part as follows:

"It is especially appropriate that the advocates of this important reform should assemble in Louisiana in honor of the action taken by this state in 1898, when its constitutional convention incorporated a clause giving to tax-paying women a vote on all questions of taxation submitted to the electors. In commemoration of the splendid use they made of this privilege at the election held to secure to New Orleans the completion of its drainage and establishment of a sewerage system and free water supply, and in celebration of the recent decision of

the state supreme court which has declared invalid the act of the last legislature that proposed to take the large fund for this purpose out of the hands of the legally appointed board. It is fitting, therefore, that these victories should be celebrated in the state which made them possible.

"Never in the 50 years of this movement have its advocates had such a victory to record as was achieved in Australia in June, 1902. Almost the first act of the parliament of the federation was to confer the full federal suffrage, carrying with it the right to seat in the parliamentary body, on all qualified women of the entire commonwealth. This one act enfranchised about 800,000 women. At this time in only two of the six states comprising the federation—south and west Australia—did women possess the complete state suffrage, but at the first meeting of the New South Wales parliament it was granted to the women of that state, and according to trustworthy information, similar action will be taken by that of Victoria before the close of the session.

"When to the women of Australia are added those of New Zealand, and of Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho, it will be found that 1,125,000 English-speaking women are at the present time in possession of the complete suffrage, and all, except those of Wyoming, have been enfranchised within the past ten years. By adding to these the women of Great Britain and Ireland, who have all except the parliamentary vote, those of Kansas with

municipal of Louisiana, Montana and New York with the taxpayers, and of over one-half the states with the school ballot, the 1,125,000 will be multiplied several times.

"Woman suffrage, therefore, may be fairly said to be no longer an experiment; the above statistics show its steady progress, and they lead to the logical conclusion that its extension to the women of all English-speaking countries on the same terms as to men is inevitable. That public sentiment is tending in this direction is clearly evident in the increasingly favorable attitude of the press, clubs, legislatures and universities."

Following the reading of the call, Mrs. Catt presented the honorary president, Susan B. Anthony, who was greeted with the most enthusiastic applause. When the hand-clapping had subsided sufficiently for her to be heard the venerable leader of the equal rights movement delivered a brief address in the course of which touching reference was made to her co-worker in the early days of the suffrage movement, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, who passed away since the last convention of the organization.

The opening session of the convention concluded with the annual address of the president, which was full of interesting facts and figures and was received with applause by the gathering of women. The convention will continue in session several days, the business sessions being interspersed with various features of entertainment arranged by the women of New Orleans.

across the decks. The grabs can thus remove over half the cargo without any assistance and the remaining half is brought directly under the hatch by use of a scraper also operated by similar machinery and managed by a man in the hold through the use of long cords. This scraper brings the ore from between the hatches so that it can be raised by the grab. These grabs are controlled by the engineer who can drop them at any point over the hold that he may wish and after it seizes its load of ore, it is raised a full speed, carried rapidly along the trolley to such given point as desirable, where the ore is deposited into railroad trucks or stock piles, or in some cases into concrete troughs through which it slides to the furnaces where it is to be transferred into pig iron. This grab, which thus lifts five tons of ore from the vessel carrying it to such point as is desired within a limited space, has a hoisting speed of 100 feet a minute, and can run along the bridge at the rate of 1000 feet a minute. The operator travels with the grab and can unload it at any given point desired. The bridges to which these arms with their grabs are attached can be swung in any direction, so that ore, limestone, or coke can be deposited or picked up anywhere in the yard, and are worked by electricity. Twenty-six men will now perform under this system, the work for which 350 were required under the old system.

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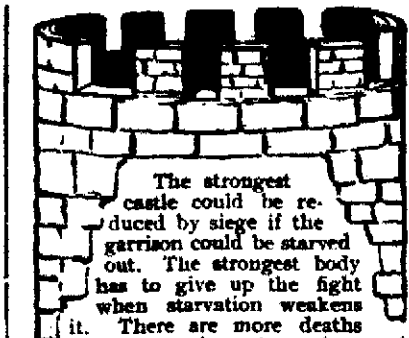
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A gentleman who was fond of studying the habits of insects one day found a large spider near a pond. He took a long stick and put the spider on one end of it. He then went to the side of the pond and, stretching out as far as he could, fixed the other end in the bottom and left the stick standing straight up out of the water with the spider up on it. He then sat down on the bank to watch what the insect would do.

It first went down the stick till it came to the water; but, finding that there was no hope of getting off there, it returned to the top. It then went up and down the different sides of the stick, feeling and looking carefully, till it found there was no way of escape at any part. Then it went once more to the top and remained quiet for awhile, as if thinking what to do. After a short pause the insect began to spin a thread long enough to reach from the stick to the edge of the pond. When this was done, it fastened one end of the thread to the top of the stick and let the rest of it float in the breeze. It waited till the wind stretched the thread out toward the side of the pond.

The insect then went crawling along the thread till it reached the end. After floating in the air a little while it alighted safely on the ground and scampered off to its home.

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NOTICE OF A PETITION TO VACATE AN ALLEY.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, signed by Walter J. Richie et al., praying for the vacation of the public alley lying between in-lots numbers 513 and 514, from the south side of Wayne street to the north side of an alley running east and west midway between Wayne street and North street in the City of Lima, Ohio.

Said petition is now pending before said Council and will come up for final action on or after the 4th day of May, 1903.

By order of the City Council.

FRED C. BEAM,

mar19-Thur&Fri-6wks. City Clerk.

## LEGAL NOTICE.

Harry Buell whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903, Jamina C. Buell in the common pleas court, where action is now pending being cause number 11408 the undersigned has filed her petition against the said Harry Buell, praying for a divorce from him on the ground of wilful absence, gross neglect of duty and habitual drunkenness. Said cause will be for hearing on or after 16th day of April A. D. 1903.

JAMINA C. BUELL,

By her attorney.

JOHN H. KLATTE.

1-6wks

## LEGAL NOTICE.

(Case No. 11411.)

Armstead Williams, plaintiff,

vs.

Mary Williams, defendant.

The defendant, whose residence is unknown, will take notice, that the plaintiff has filed a petition against her for a divorce, March 5, 1903, in the court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio. The grounds for divorce are, that the defendant has been wilfully absent for more than three years last past; that defendant has been guilty of habitual drunkenness; that defendant has committed adultery. The defendant is required to answer by the 16th day of April, 1903.

ARMSTEAD WILLIAMS.

By R. L. Armstrong, his attorney.

March 5-6wks.

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before Wm. E. Relly, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

The Marvin Theatre Company

vs.

W. E. Nankeville and W. E. Nankeville's Attractions, the nature of which Association and the parties composing the same being unknown.

On the 18th day of February 1903, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of one hundred and twenty one dollars and twenty-seven cents, (121.27).

BECKER & BECKER.

Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Lima, O., Mar. 10th. 1903. 20-3wks.

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Martin Kelly deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Martin Kelly late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1903.

CATHARINE KELLY,

Administratrix.

Motter, Mackenzie & Wendock,

120-3w Attorneys.

## LEGAL NOTICE.

William Gibson and Lillie Gibson, who reside at Louisville, state of Kentucky, will take notice that Mary Gibson, as executrix of the estate of Henry Gibson, deceased, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1903, filed her petition in the probate court, of Allen county, Ohio, and being case No. 7614 alleging that the personal estate of said decedent is insufficient to pay his debts, and costs of administering his estate; that he died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate, situated in the city of Lima, county of Allen, and state of Ohio, and

Being all that part of lot number twenty-six (26), new number seven hundred and fifty-four (754), in McCullough's addition to the said city of Lima, excepting therefrom the west one hundred and twenty (120) feet herebefore sold by the said Henry Gibson to Adam Herold, as found in volume 80, at page 43, of the deed records of Allen county, Ohio.

Said premises remaining being eighty (80) feet, more or less, fronting on east McKibben street and extending north therefrom fifty (50) feet.

That Mary Gibson, widow of said decedent, is entitled to a life estate, in said real estate, under and by virtue of the terms and provisions of the will of said Henry Gibson, deceased.

The prayer of said petition is that said property be ordered sold to pay the debts and charges, aforesaid, against said estate.

William Gibson and Lillie Gibson are hereby notified that they have been parties defendant to said petition and that they are required to answer on or before the 21st day of March, A. D. 1903.

Lima, Ohio, February 6th. 1903.

MARY GIBSON,

As Executrix of the Estate of Henry Gibson, deceased.

By T. R. HAMILTON, Her Attorney.

feb. 6-6w

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Edwin E. McCall, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Edwin E. McCall, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1903.

E. A. DEAN.

Leete & Brotherton, attorneys. 117-3w

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jane Hermann, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jane Hermann, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 23rd day of Feb. A. D. 1903.

13-3wks.

AARON ALBERT.

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

James A. Baber, plaintiff,

against

O. V. Hensley, defendant.

Before J. W. Mowen, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

On the 11th day of March A. D. 1903, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of twenty-two (\$22.00) dollars. Said cause will be heard on the 24th day of April A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m.

JAMES A. BABER,

Plaintiff.

Lima, Ohio, March 17th. 1903.

Richie & Richie,

32-3w Attorneys for Plaintiff.

## LEGAL NOTICE.

Jessie Carson, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1903, Kit Carson filed his petition in the court of common pleas of Allen County, Ohio, against said defendant in case No. 11390, praying for a divorce from said defendant on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, and that she is required to make answer in said cause to said petition on or before the 4th day of April, A. D. 1903, or judgment will be taken against her.

12-5wks

KIT CARSON.

By J. D. ARMSTRONG, Attorney.



## REFUSED TO BE HELD UP.

Republican List of B. P. S. Candidates  
Decreases from 12 to 8.

Colonel Boone Drops Out of the Race, Refusing  
to Pay the Excessive Assessment Levied  
by the Sanford Committee.

The Republican city primary election will be held tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 8 o'clock but there will be fewer candidates on the ticket than there has been in the announcement columns of the Republican-Gazette during the preliminary campaign.

Four candidates have retired from the original list of those who aspired to nomination for membership on the board of public service. Those quitting the fight are Messrs. Charles Sonntag, Col. W. K. Boone, W. H. Standish and J. R. Hughes.

No reasons are given for the withdrawal of J. R. Hughes. He has been in California throughout the campaign and his name was announced by many Republicans who were dissatisfied with the other Republican candidates, but without Mr. Hughes here to make a fight for the nomination they were afraid the venerable ex-councilman would be defeated by Fred Holland and the \$15 assessment that had to be paid to the Sanford-Foster-Metheny camp in order to get Mr. Hughes' name on the primary ticket, was not dropped into the "kitty."

The withdrawal of Mr. Standish from the race is a disappointment to many. His excellent record as a member of the city council, where he served two terms as a member of the finance committee, made him a strong and worthy candidate but his health has not improved sufficiently since his recent severe illness to permit him to undertake the campaign.

There is but one reason for the withdrawals of Charles Sonntag and Colonel W. K. Boone from the board of public service contest. Sonntag could not and Colonel Boone would not pay the excessive assessment that was levied against the candidates by the Sanford crowd. Col. Boone has been active in Republican politics in Lima for about a quarter of a century and has never before known of such a "strong-arm" game as that inaugurated by M. J. Sanford and his anti-Hall committee.

There were twelve candidates for member of board of public service nominations in the Republican ranks and the Sanford committee made the assessment \$45 each. There were only five candidates for the nomination on the Democratic ticket and they were assessed only \$15 each.

The fight between Rogers and Landick for the Republican mayoralty nomination is waxing hotter and hotter as the day for the primary draws nearer. The promises that are being made to the radical reform element would make the angels weep but at the same time his Satanic Majesty realizes that he too has been promised everything that his sinful heart could ask.

J. N. Fletcher, W. E. Rudy and H. C. Napier are the only Republican candidates for members of council at large and in consequence will be the nominees without opposition, there being three nominations to be made.

### MUST PAY

For Arc Lights at Railroad Crossings.

An Interesting Law Suit Between  
the Village of Kenton and the  
Big Four is Settled.

A telegram from Kenton says: After years of litigation the three cases of the city of Kenton vs. The Big Four railway, extending from April, 1891, to May 6, 1902, for payment of arc lights at crossings, have been settled. The company will pay at the costs and one half the amount asked for in the two cases in the common pleas court and the judgment in the first case, which is now in the

supreme court, the amount of all being \$1,386.35. The company will also pay one half the cost of maintaining five arc lights at crossings from May 6, 1902, until May 6, 1907.

This last is regarded as interesting because the legislature has made it unnecessary for a railway company to pay for arcs at crossings.

### SOLICITORS WANTED.

We want good energetic men between the ages of 25 and 50 in every county to represent us.

For further information, address,  
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324-4 29 Public Square, Lima, O.  
LIMA CHAPTER NO. 49, R. A. M.

Stated convocation tomorrow (Friday) evening. Work on M. E. M. degree.

H. C. SEEBERS, H. P. WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

### PASSING

Of Winter Means Work on  
the Lines.

Frank P. Edson, of Van Wert, was in Delphos today in the interest of the Ft. Wayne, Van Wert & Lima Traction Line. He is very enthusiastic over the progress being made with the work of construction. He states that as soon as the weather permits work will be commenced all along the line and pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. This will furnish plenty of work for men and teams. Some of the heaviest work on the line will be in this neighborhood, partly on account of the track being elevated over the Pennsylvania railroad, just west of town. This alone will necessitate considerable labor. Mayor G. F. Wilson has the contract for furnishing the ties for a portion of the line.—Delphos Herald.

THE NETTLETON SHOE IS A  
GENTLEMAN'S SHOE. MICHAEL'S.  
SPECIAL BARGAINS.

One large lot on paved portion of west Market street. \$700.00.  
One lot in Maplewood addition. \$175.00. Both on easy payments.  
KALB & THRIFT,  
233-4 3-4 Opera House Block.

### WEDDING

Of Mrs. Sarah Aldridge and  
Morris P. Hathaway.

At 10 o'clock today at the home of officiating minister, W. A. Brundige, Mr. Morris P. Hathaway of Bradner, Ohio, and Mrs. Sarah Aldridge of this city were joined together in holy wedlock. They will make Bradner their home.

Is your tongue coated? Are you nervous and weak? Have you sick headache? Do you bloat after eating? Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. 35 cents.  
For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

Dr. Mathews has removed into the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. McCall in the Holland block. 32-61\*

### Lamp Sale

We placed on sale this morning a large lot of Lamps and Globes, complete At 1/2 PRICE. We want the space they occupy for other goods. Come in and see them. THEY ARE REAL BARGAINS.

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213 and 215 north Main street.

SEE FELTZ BROS. & CO. FOR  
YOUR NEXT PURCHASE OF LACE  
CURTAINS.

### NOTICE!

All members of branch 23 C. K. of O., Lima, O., are requested to go to holy communion in a body at 7 o'clock mass Sunday next, March 22nd, 1903, at St. Rose church. By order of president,

J. O'Neill, Secy.

## STILL

At Work on the Big  
Robbery,  
And Headway

Is Being Gained Very  
Slowly.

Persons Who Have Informa-  
tion Seem Afraid to  
Disclose It.

George Burke Has Been Released,  
Joseph Hams Has Been Arraigned  
and One Additional Ar-  
rest Has Been Made.

Work on the Reichelderfer robbery still occupies the attention of the city and county authorities. One additional arrest was made by sheriff Barr and detective Patton yesterday afternoon. George Burke, the fifth man arrested, has been released, and Joseph Hams, son of the tenant of the Reichelderfer farm, has been arraigned in mayor's court on a charge of having been a party to the crime. Young Hams, when arraigned, pleaded not guilty and was remanded to the county jail to await a preliminary hearing that will be held next Monday.

Frank Phillips, is the name given by the young man who was brought from Cridersville by sheriff Barr and detective Patton last evening. He is being held while the officers are investigating as to his whereabouts during the time of the robbery last Saturday night.

### May Have Been Eight.

A dispatch from Wapakoneta says: "In the case of the robbery of Mrs. Jacob Reichelderfer, the rich Cridersville widow. Chief of police Mills, of Lima, is gradually drawing in the net. The little girl, who was compelled to name the hiding place was not blindfolded, and saw everything that was going on. While the men did not all show themselves at the same time, there were eight piles of money placed on the table in the division, and from this it is surmised there were only eight men, although there may have been more. One of the robbers dropped his mask accidentally, and the little girl says positively she would know him again as he was of striking personality."

Women love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

### FORMER

Lima Young Man Dies at  
Southern Pines, N. C.

Charles J. Martin, for Years an Em-  
ployee of the Standard Oil Co.,  
Passes to Rest.

The many old friends in this city of Charles J. Martin, a former well known stock gauger who served several years in the local oil fields, will be grieved to learn that he has passed away at Southern Pines, North Carolina, where, it is supposed he had gone from his recent home in Imperial, Pa., in search of health. Information received by funeral director W. H. Mattingly, from the deceased's brother-in-law, James Henderson of Imperial, Pa., today, announces that the remains will be brought to this city for burial. The body will arrive in Lima some time tomorrow morning and funeral services will be held from St. Johns church on the south side but the hour for the services has not yet been determined. The deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin. The family resided for a number of years at 400 south Pine street, and the father and son were both engaged in the service of the Standard Oil Co. Dreaded consumption fell to the family's lot and through the agency of this disease, the father and three daughters preceded Charles to the future realm. It is supposed that lung trouble also caused the latter's death.

The deceased is survived by his mother and one sister, Mrs. Henderson, of Imperial, Pa.

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Suppose we quote you a few items. There's certainly a price economy attached to every item or you would not find them advertised here.

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A very pretty Blouse Suit, stitched with taffeta and puff sleeves, brown, blue and black at \$20.00.

Pebble Cheviot Blouse Suit, taffeta lined and trimmed, at \$18.00.

Beautiful Blouse Suits, made of broadcloth and chevots, in blue, brown and black, finely tailored and newest styles, at \$25.00.

Granit Cloth Blouse Suit, peau-de-soie trimmed, puff sleeves, taffeta lined, at \$38.00, \$42.50 and \$50.00.

### The New Dress Skirts.

Right up to the minute for style. Just the sort of Skirts you're looking for. All dress making worry saved.

Black Cheviot Dress Skirts in very good quality and nicely trimmed, at \$5.00.

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Voile and Ettamine Dress Skirts, blue and black, peau de soie and taffeta trimmings, at \$14.00 and \$15.00.

New line of Silk Skirts just came in, extra good values at \$10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 20.00 and 25.00.

### An Early Showing of Fine White Waists.

Many women like to choose their waists early. Can show you some exclusive styles in dainty White Waists that will appeal to your sense of the artistic. Very reasonably priced, too.

Mercerized and Pique Waists for early spring wear, at \$1.00, 1.25, 1.38, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.25.

Sheer and Dainty Lawn, India Linon and Wash Silk Waists embroidery and lace trimmed, at \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 4.50 and 5.00.

### The New Season's Walking Skirts.

If you've got a Walking Skirt to buy, if the goods, the hang, the fit, the price, are of interest to you, then you'll certainly be impressed with the following:

Melton Cloth Walking Skirts, very good values, blue and gray, at \$2.75.

Special good Walking Skirts, new styles, at \$5.00.

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